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Applicant : Shuichi Takagi et al.
Serial No. : 10/699,102
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Title : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SYNCHRONOUSLY
TRANSFERRING DATA FROM A LOCAL STORAGE MEDIUM TO A
REMOTE STORAGE MEDIUM ...
Art Unit : 2159
Examiner : Miranda Le
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Docket No. : 50T5441.01

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NOTICE OF APPEAL AND PRE-APPEAL BRIEF REQUEST FOR REVIEW

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner to grant a one-month extension of time, up to and including Monday, November 22, 2010, in which to respond to the Final Office Action dated July 20, 2010 in the above-identified application. Authorization is hereby given to charge the one-month extension fee, i.e. \$130, to the undersigned attorney's PTO deposit account No. 50-1047 accordingly.

Applicant hereby respectfully appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated July 20, 2010 finally rejecting

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the pending claims in this application.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1047 the appeal fee in the amount of \$540. It is further requested that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office charge any additional amounts due, including any extensions of time that may be required, or credit any overpayments made to Deposit Account 50-1047.

A Pre-Appeal Brief Request For Review is filed herewith.

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